

**SPECIFICATION AMENDMENTS:**

Please replace the paragraph on page 2, lines 17 through 25, with the following amended paragraph:

--According to a preferred embodiment of present invention, the strap buckle apparatus further includes a protection pad to prevent from scratching the surface of an outer case of a notebook computer. In addition, ~~an clamp~~ E-clip is employed to fix the rotation plug to the rotation hub. In order to make the strap buckle apparatus lock in the lock hole steadily, a position groove is provided in the base and two ends of the position groove are carved deeper. A position pin of the rotation hub can fit in the position groove. If the position pin moves into the deeper groove, the position pin is stuck in the deeper groove except manual rotation.--

Please replace the paragraphs on page 5, line 13 through page 6, line 8, with the following amended paragraphs:

--Fig. 2 illustrates an exploded view of a strap buckle apparatus according to one preferred embodiment of this invention. The strap buckle apparatus includes a base 26, a rotation hub 24, a rotation plug 30, a protection pad 28 and ~~an clamp~~ E-clip 22. A strap holder 29 on the edge of the base 26 connects to a strap 14. There is an opening 25 as an assembly hole on the center of the base 26. A protection pad 28 can be added between the base 26 and the outer case of a notebook computer so as to prevent from scratching the outer case. The

protection pad 28 can be rubber pad. There is an opening 27 on the center of the protection pad 28 as an assembly hole.

Referring to Fig.2 again, a rotation hub 24 is employed to control the hook 33's rotation direction and to decide whether a strap buckle apparatus 12 clamps the lock hole 16 or not. Because the hook 33 of the rotation plug 30 is employed to insert inside the lock hole 16, a shape of the hook 33 is almost identical to a shape of the lock hole 16. However, the shape of the hook 33 is smaller than that of the lock hole 16. The other end of the rotation plug 30 has a circular groove ~~round slot~~ 31 for an ~~clamp~~ E-clip 22 to attach to. When the strap buckle apparatus is assembled, the end with a circular groove ~~round slot~~ 31 of the rotation plug 30 goes through three openings 27, 25 and 23. The ~~clamp~~ E-clip 22 attaches to the circular groove ~~round slot~~ 31 of the rotation plug 30. The rotation hub 24 and the rotation plug 30 can be fixed together. That is, the rotation hub 24 and the rotation plug 30 can rotate simultaneously in relation to the base 26.--